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**This is a chance that will not be repeated. Hurry Up and Get Yours.**

**The Number is Limited**

### Local and General :

Mr. Merrick Thomas was a visitor to the Pharmaceutical Convention held at Edmonton on Friday last.

Our Local Woodmen Band went to Aene on Friday last and played for the sports.

Rodney Picnic on Wednesday. Well, yes, in the best of weather; the best of sports, and last but not least the best of eats. Everybody enjoyed themselves and went home happy for one more year.

Another Excursion will be run to the Experimental Farm at Lacombe on Friday, July 21st, train leaves Crossfield at 7.45 a.m., and the fare is \$1.95, children 95c. Extensive experimental work is under way at the farm with livestock, horticulture field husbandry, cereals and poultry.

Mrs. Coffin drove to Aene last week to take in the sports and spend a few days with her daughter, returning on Monday night.

Carstairs Methodist 7th annual Excursion to Banff, takes place on Wednesday, July 26th. Train calls at Carstairs at 6.58 a.m., Crossfield 7.14 a.m. and Airdrie 7.35 a.m. Returning from Banff at 7 p.m.

Mrs. J. Belshaw and son are visiting friends at Fernie, B.C.

Church of the Ascension, 4th Sunday after Trinity, July 16th.

Sunday School at 10 a.m. Morning Prayer & Sermon 11 a.m.

The fine weather of this week has hastened the haying season. The farmers are busy in the surrounding district with their mowing machines and gathering up the hay. The recent wet weather has brought forth some extra heavy crops.

Prize Winners at the Crossfield Fair who have not already received their prize money, are requested to call at the Municipality Office when they will receive same.

The music of the well-drillers has been clanging in our ears this week. Mrs. Stevens is having a well drilled behind her restaurant.

For Sale.--A motor Hay Press, 6 H.P., International. In first-class condition.

Apply A. H. Landymore, Crossfield.

Mr. Levi Bone is setting a good example in employing a returned soldier. Cleveland Bishop, who has done his turn at the front, is still suffering from the effects of hun gas but is otherwise still fit. We hope others wanting help will remember men who have returned.

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**\$5.00 Reward.**

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Let Us Show You.

White Plates		Rockingham Preserving Kettles	
Dinner, per dozen	80c	Regular . . . 50c for	35c
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Keenest Competitions, Finest Attractions Ever Seen in the Province of Alberta.

Splendid Program of Races Every Afternoon.

**KATHERINE STINSON, Sensational Aviator.**

The Mangan Troupe of Acrobats. Five Casting Campbells. Poles.

Robinson's Elephants. Helen Carlos Trio. March a Review of the Allies.

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Excursion Rates on all Lines of Railway. Special One Day Excursion on Wednesday, July 12th, for the Grand Provincial Orange Celebration.





## Red Cross Notes.

The Red Cross Society acknowledges with thanks the following donations and work:

Treas. Crossfield	\$4.55
" Elba	1.80
" Inverlea	1.90
" Floral	2.10
" Beaver Dam	.85

Work: Crossfield Sewing Circle, 1 suit pyjamas, 19 T handages, and 8 M.-T. handages.

Mrs. Marston, 14 triangulars.

" Lane, 1 triangular, 3 T handages, 1 M.-T. handage.

Mrs. Myers, 1 pair socks.

" Conrad, 1 pair socks, 1 bed shirt.

Mrs. Jose, 12 triangulars.

" W. McRory, 2 pair socks.

Floral Sewing Circle, 22 T handages, 7 M.-T. handages, 1 suit pyjamas, 1 bed jacket.

Inverlea Sewing Circle, 32 T handages, 3 M.-T. handages.

Mrs. Morrison, 1 pair socks.

Miss May Fraser, 6 hndks.

Mrs. W. D. Fraser, 12 hndks.

Elba Sewing Circle, 60 T handages, 3 M.-T. handages, 10 triangulars and 1 surgical shirt.

Beaver Dam Sewing Circle, 7 M.-T. handages.

Mrs. Walsh, 1 pair socks.

The next Crossfield Sewing Circle meets at the home of Mrs. S. Smith, the one following at the home of Mrs. Bray.

A splendid shipment was forwarded to Calgary on Friday last, by this branch. The articles are the result of the combined efforts of the Sewing Circles at Elba, Floral, Inverlea, Beaver Dam and Crossfield for six weeks. The following is a list of the articles sent:—14 suits pyjamas, 7 surgeons' caps, 24 bed pan covers, 12 pillow cases, 2 slings, 2 towels, 408 triangulars handages, 36 pairs socks, 6 surgical shirts, 792 T handages, 96 head handages, 14 T handages, 9 nurses' aprons, 1 surgeon's coat, 1 sheet, 3 bed shirts, 240 M.-T. handages, 266 hndks, 120 washings. Total 2,053.

During the next two weeks the Secretary will be away from home. Those desiring work from the workroom can have it by phoning the President, Mrs. Wilson McRory, who will see that all wants are supplied.

The sum of \$50 was spent in cotton and yarn last week, also \$25 was forwarded for the upkeep of our bed in the Duchess of Connaught Hospital.

The Canadian Red Cross Society, Alberta Provincial Branch, Calgary, Alberta, July 7th, 1917.  
The Secretary,  
Crossfield Branch Canadian Red Cross Society.

Dear Mrs. Laute:—  
I seem to spend my time writing thank letters to your Branch and I do think it is perfectly wonderful the way the subscriptions come in from you. I am always holding your Branch up as an example to others, and can only tell you again how grateful we are for the work you are doing.

We are enclosing receipt for \$150.00, being monthly subscription for the month of July, August and September, and also for \$77.00 on account of sale of Merchandise.

With renewed thanks and kindest regards to you all.

Yours faithfully,  
M. PINKHAM,  
Honorary Secretary-Treasurer,  
Alberta Provincial Branch.

## Extra.

Crossfield.—On the premises of N. J. Wigle, Sec. 11-28-29, W. 4, one White faced Cow, with calf six months old. Cow banded on left hip O blotched. Calf not banded.

## Ivor Lewis

Sole Agent for the Famous  
GALT COAL

Hard Coal and Briquettes always  
on hand.

Fire Wood. Draying.

Crossfield, Alberta

## The Right Spirit

We cannot all be patriots in the sense of appearing as such in public; but those of us to whom the privilege of platform speaking, or even of persuasion, is denied can by force of example declare ourselves. This form of patriotism is denied to no man. In exercising it we are serving God and performing a duty owing both to ourselves and to the country. We are also encouraging emulation. How far, or even in what direction, they may reach none of us can foretell. To the right-thinking man, to the true patriot, it will be enough to know that with his power he is doing all that may be done. The extent of his personal influence will not trouble him so much as the knowledge that he is bending all his best efforts to accomplish something useful in life will inspire him.

It is this spirit that paramount to all else without exception, we are specially called upon at this juncture to exercise. The man who fails in a minor sense almost as much a traitor to his country as the man who is false to the place of his birth or to the land of his adoption. It is in this spirit—the right spirit—that we are summoned to the fight that the Empire is waging for the liberty of all people, the freedom of every nation, and the rigid observance of treaties and international engagements. By being actuated by it, no man will fall short in the responsibilities entailed by citizenship. It is this spirit that the campaign for production and thrift has been launched to develop and encourage.

No man or woman is justified in ignoring the call. He or she who recognizes it to the full by his useful production as lies within his power is fulfilling a God-given duty. He who is guilty of waste, of wilful extravagance, of wilful selfishness, places himself beyond the pale of the patriot, beyond the pale of Christian duty. This is a truth that one and all need to recognize and that in recognizing will bring into activity the Right Spirit. In producing and in saving, in practising a wise economy, we may not be doing as much as the soldier in the trenches who is exercising that divine quality of offering his life for his friend, but we shall at least to some extent, show a becoming appreciation of the existing order of affairs. And this is possible to every man, be he lawyer, doctor, merchant, farmer or common labourer.

## The Horse Trade

We quote the following letter from the current issue of Farm and Ranch Review. "Never in the history of Canada was the outlook for the horse breeders of Canada better?" is the statement made by one of the leading horsemen of the west.

"We will be shipping horses to England as soon as the war is over, if not before." There is a movement right now to form a company to export horses to Europe. All the leading horsemen in the Old Country are looking to Canada for their supply. The prices in Britain today are tremendous, for example, a horse that is worth in Western Canada \$150 to \$175 is worth \$425 to \$500 in England. I have had photographs sent of these horses with the prices marked on them, so I know this to be correct.

Horses for the next five or ten years will be without doubt one of the best investments. I look for a rise in horses this summer greater than has ever been known. There is nothing in this country that costs less to keep and is easier to raise than horses, and I feel sure that if the farmers and ranchers who get their horses ready they will obtain prices the best they have ever received."

"Horseman."

In training the colts for driving, bear in mind that the training goes so faster than the horse is able to comprehend. Do not expect too much at first. Use kindness and firmness.

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## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$5.00 per acre.

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A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$5.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$500.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, stony or scrubby land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. COEY, C.M.G.,  
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## LADY URSULA'S HUSBAND

FLORENCE WARDEN

World, Luck & Co., Limited  
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(Continued)

"Then I vote we agree on one condition," said Gane, as he took out a sheet of paper from a little leatherette writing-case on the table, and proceeded to draw up what he called a "contract." It was quite clearly written, and, with the spelling a little amended, it was as follows:

"I agree to pay to Brady Grane and to William Evans, within one month from this date, the sum of five thousand pounds apiece, or to hand over to them within that period jewelry to that selling value, in consideration of their allowing him to retain the whole of the jewellery as follows" (here followed a complete list of the various articles) at present equally the property of myself and the said Brady Grane and William Evans."

He read this over carefully, showed it to Evans, and then pushed it across the table to Paul.

"Now sign that," said he briefly. Paul read it over carefully, signed it and rose with a smile.

"Right you are," said he. "Within four weeks you shall be reimbursed. In the meantime we'll each go our own way. We meet in London, the old place, this day month."

He was out of the room and away very quickly, and the two other fellows were left together.

Evans was downcast.

"Do you suppose he'll hold to his bargain?" said he gloomily. "I don't." "Don't you see," said Gane confidently, "that what he's bound to pay up is a sight more than we should get out of our share of the Vienna lot?"

"But shall we get it?"

"If we don't," said Gane in a greasy whisper, "we can show this paper to his fine lady wife and out goes my lord like a rocket what's been fired."

Evans still looked dismal.

"I tell you we've got him on toast," persisted the author of the "contract" emphatically.

Evans wagged his head wearily.

"He's a slippery fish," said he.

CHAPTER IX

Paris detained the newly-married pair but for a very short time, for Paul was tired of it, and his gaieties had little attraction for Lady Ursula, who when she visited all the churches of note, and the many charities in which she was interested, was quite ready to go away.

So they went to Switzerland, where the winter sports were an attraction for them both, and it was at that time that Paul discovered to his surprise, that the grave and calm Lady Ursula took the natural delight of a healthy young woman skating and tobogganing.

Nevertheless she did not cease to lament her long absence from "her poor," and although she did her best to find work to do among the inhabitants of the Swiss village, where her gracious presence made everywhere a favorable impression, she never succeeded in taking to her heart the thrifty and somewhat shy peasants of the mountains with the same passion that she felt for her English village friends.

In the meantime, although her love for her husband, and her admiration for him, increased rather than diminished, the quality of those emotions underwent a change.

For deep down in her heart she began to entertain a suspicion that he had not been inspired by the same feelings towards her as those she had for him.

Paul was always courteous, patient, amusing. But she was sensitive enough to know that her society, her love, and that the joy she felt in his presence found no echo in his heart.

Lady Ursula, affectionate, capable of profound feeling, did not fret herself over this discovery. Why should she have suspected that a man of the world, older than herself and of vastly more experience, should feel as profound a emotion as a quiet woman like herself, without equivocation, to attract or win to amuse?

Instead of repining, she set herself to find out some sure way to his heart, and resolved that she would never give him cause to regret his marriage.

So when he wanted to go out, she never sought to smother him, when he evidently found pleasure in the society of the merry English and American girls who had come to Switzerland for the winter sports, she took care to show no jealousy.

And if sometimes if she had cause to feel wounded, she took care not to

show it. And, on the whole, considering the fact that the pair were ridiculously unattached, the tact of both surprised the place of warmer affections on one side and stronger demonstrations on the other, so that they passed with those they met, for phenomenally happy.

At the end of a fortnight, however, Paul began to show signs of restlessness, and on receiving a letter from the newly-married pair to come to them as soon after the New Year as they could, to help them with the work expected at a general election, Paul expressed a hope that Lady Ursula would not mind cutting short their stay abroad.

Of course she consented.

The day before their proposed return, Paul asked his wife to let him see her jewellery, and she at once brought it to him and left it with him while she went back into her room to dress for dinner. Twenty minutes later he came into the room and showed her a pile of loose gems in a newspaper, which he had taken from the twisted and broken settings of the gems.

Lady Ursula uttered a cry of horror. Little as she cared for jewellery, she had begun to feel a dutiful wife's pride in the treasures which had been, so she was told, handed down in her husband's family.

"What pity," cried she in dismay. "Your grandmother's sets."

"They were barbaric, weren't they?" said Paul eagerly.

"Well, perhaps. But you said yourself that made them unique. Oh, I'm sorry!"

As she spoke she turned over with her hand the great square emeralds, the diamonds and the milky pearls which looked so poor and mean now as jewels do when they are seen thus in undress.

"What are you going to do with them?" she asked.

"I'm going to have them all reset for you. Not only these, but all the others, too."

Lady Ursula was more and more surprised.

But the necklace and the tiara are quite modern. They are very

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## Celebration of Anzac Day

Glowing Tribute Paid to Heroes by George Mc L. Brown, European Manager of the C. P. R.

On April 25th the "Bell Mail Gazette" of London, England contained many views of the celebration of Anzac Day at Westminster Abbey commemorating the landing of troops from Australia and New Zealand on the Gallipoli Peninsula which occurred on April 25, 1915. Among them appeared the following glowing tribute paid by Mr. George Mc L. Brown, European Manager of the C. P. R.

"The solemn beauty of Westminster Abbey, which echoes with the story of our past, is a fitting shrine in which to commemorate the noble 'Anzac' dead. Not alone because of the valor, the fortitude, and the sacrifices are the memories of those lives laid down, previous to the Empire, but because they symbolize the high qualities which throughout centuries have gone to the building up of the British race, the courage and the chivalry of our forefathers lived again in those dauntless heroes of Gallipoli, who have passed on undimmed the traditions of our history. And wherever those traditions are remembered, in the United Kingdom, in their own homelands of Australia, New Zealand, and Tasmania, in Canada, in South Africa, wherever the British flag flies there will be glorified those valiant men who strengthened the old, and forged new bonds to draw closer together and make of us one people. As a Canadian, I speak with certainty when I say that in no part of the Empire is the service the Anzacs have rendered more universally recognized than in Canada. We feel that their splendid story is our pride and honor too, and that they have helped to bring home to us afresh the truth that though the seas may roll between, we are all Mother country, and daughter nations, one Empire. Not each for each, but one for all—we die, we live."

## Buying Up Horses

Scarcity of Horses All Over Dominion

Since the outbreak of the war, the British Reimount Commission has purchased in Canada 15,000 horses. 5,000 have been bought by French contractors and 25,000 by the Canadian Department of Militia. The Department of Militia is now engaged in buying an additional thousand head. The British Reimount Commission has purchased over 700 since March and is buying daily in Montreal. French contractors are anxious to obtain supplies and are arranging to buy all that are available both in the East and in the West. It is understood that as a result of the purchases already made, army buyers are finding it increasingly difficult, both in United States and in Canada, to readily secure the number of horses which they require, particularly of the type suitable for heavy cavalry or heavy artillery.

In addition to the purchases for army account, commercial activity from two distinct quarters has exerted a very evident influence upon the Canadian horse market during the past three or four months. Since the beginning of the year, 5,000 horses reached the Winning Stock Yards from Eastern Canada and 5,517 were shipped from the same yards westward, mostly to Saskatchewan. During the months of January, February and March, 1,800 horses were exported to the United States. A few hundred more went forward to the same market in April. The horses exported were good farm chunks weighing from 1,300 to 1,500 lbs. As high as \$500 a pair for animals possessing extra quality and conformation. This new movement in the horse market is having effect upon prices all over Canada.

"Surely, Paul, you don't think we can hold our heads, in matters of that sort, against millionaires," said she. "Even my people would never try to do so."

"We will," said he confidently. "It's easier than you think. Even millionaires, on the other side of the Atlantic, use cheap jewels sometimes, in the certainty that they will pass, with those, for real ones."

Perhaps Lady Ursula looked incredulous.

"I tell you," he persisted, "that those great pearls which Mrs. Finchden wears round her throat are not real."

Lady Ursula smiled.

"Who has told you that?" she said.

"I'm quite sure you're wrong about those particular pearls. That necklace is unique. I've heard all about it. It took years to collect the pearls, and she had to wait four years for the fifth row because they couldn't match the others."

Paul smiled.

(To be continued)

Ireland's True National Color

The question raised in the London press, recently, as to what is really the national color of Ireland, does not admit of debate, at any rate from a historical point of view. The national color is of course blue and not green. The adoption of the "immortal green" dates, it is generally supposed, from the rebellion of '48. At that time the star Orangemen made common cause with the Irish nationalists of the south, and a green flag was chosen as their ensign because green was the color produced by the blending of orange and blue. The national flag, too, of Ireland is not the green flag with an Irish harp in the centre, but the white flag showing the red saltire of St. Patrick—Christian Science Monitor.

On account of farmers' credit with the banks here, and that there has been a falling off in the breeding of horses since 1914.

The Imperial Chancellor, in his famous war speech in the Reichstag, said: "There is no such thing as a free lunch. Evidently the Belgians in East Africa are of the same thinking. They have captured the German territory there, and named the first town that they took possession of, Liege."

Cheap "War Loans" Austria is beginning to feel the pinch of the war. Such luxuries as beer are no longer a thing of course. The table of the Vienna workmen's table. The government in raising its tax war loan had to injure money by accepting subscriptions as low as 50 cents.

Watered Margarine Liquid margarine is the latest alternative to butter in Berlin, but even the German police cannot stand such an adulteration, and a seller of the butter has been fined \$200 for adulterating it with 60 per cent of water. The price of beef in Berlin is now at 75 cents per lb.

## A Stupid Subterfuge

The stupidity and hypocrisy of Germany's contention that her systematic campaign of murder and piracy at sea was in retaliation for Great Britain's attempt to starve millions of Germans into submission have long been apparent to the neutral world. Aside from the fact that the blockade is a legitimate means of warfare, every schoolboy knows or ought to know that it was not established until after Germany announced her submarine blockade of the British Isles in February, 1915, and her determination to torpedo every ship that left of approached British shores, whether neutral or belligerent—Victoria Times.

A Scottish cabman was driving in American around the sights in Edinburgh. In high street he stopped and, with a wave of his hand, announced: "That is John Knox's house." "John Knox?" exclaimed the American. "Who was he?" This was too much for the cabby. "Good heavens!" he exclaimed. "Did you never read your Bible?"

Smashed German Supply Base

A Scotsman, writing of trench experience, relates what he heard from the lips of an aviator: "It was my good fortune to smash up a German supply base, said the aviator. I pressed him. 'I had a risky time of it getting over the spot, where I dropped the bomb, but I was so eager to drop to wreck the Roche depot I quite forgot some of my own dangers. The right moment came, and I let her go. I looked down to see what would happen. There was a muffled roar, and a cloud of smoke and dust arose.'"

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## SHEEP

Lamb and mutton are dear all the world over. Scotch mutton is now selling on the Smithfield market at 22 to 22½¢ per lb. and English at 21 to 22¢ per lb. Both Australian and New Zealand frozen lamb on the same market are selling at 17½¢. Yearling lambs in Canada have reached the record price of \$14.00 per cwt., while in the United States they have been fetching as high as \$11.80. By way of comparison, these prices considerably exceed the advance in values for other live stock but no appreciable reduction need be expected except through a rapid and general expansion in production.

The wool situation needs little comment. While it is probably true that the mills in Canada have, at the present moment, sufficient stocks of Canadian grown wool to meet their requirements for the current months, such is only a temporary condition and is not similarly the fact as regards their requirements for wools not grown in Canada.

The position of the world wool market is very firm indeed. To quote from the report of the wool sales held in London on the 11th April "Competition was thoroughly strong and well distributed. The demand for cross breeds has been lively." There is no indication from any quarter that the market for wool will be overstocked or that prices will recede.

The contrary, rather, is the case. Russia and France are purchasing heavily in Great Britain, while the United States and Canada and Canada are not easily able to obtain their requirements. Farmers unquestionably, are in a very strong position as regards the sale of their wool this year.

The maintenance of present prices can have only one result. Already renewed interest is being evidenced by farmers who have not kept sheep for years. Ram sales were particularly good last fall. More sheep are being bred in many of the provinces. We believe that this year will show a further extension of the business. As a matter of fact, no farm animal can be made more profitable, at the present time, to its owner. The keeping of sheep for the sake of the wool alone may become an economic necessity. With grade lambs selling on the open market for more than pure breeds brought two or three years ago, a revival of the sheep industry in Canada may confidently be anticipated.

### No End to the Ribbon

How Prussian Bully Was Fooled  
by Young Belgian Woman

A flash of the lighter side of war is shown by the following amusing incident, which is vouched for by the Figaro, and which relates one of the clever methods by which the Belgians, although maintaining a correct attitude toward their oppressors, do not leave a single stone unturned to make them appear ridiculous. This particular incident, which was related by a Belgian, who managed to make his way into Switzerland and thence to France, took place in a street car. A young woman entered the car, carrying on her corset a cockade composed of the national colors of Belgium black, yellow and red.

A Prussian officer entered and sat opposite to the young woman. His gaze resting on the colored ribbon, he leaned over and told her that she would have to take it off.

"I will do nothing of the sort, sir," was the firm response.

"Then I will take it off myself."

"I defy you to do so!"

The officer, coloring, reached out and ripped off the cockade. The end of the ribbon still remained on the woman's blouse and he tugged at it. The ribbon lengthened, but its end was not in sight. With a gesture of impatience he tugged further and another yard of ribbon appeared. Purple with rage, the officer went on yanking, and yard after yard of ribbon unrolled, while a chorus of laughter rose from the other passengers. Finally with a muttered curse, he dropped the ribbon and rushed out of the car.

## Empire Defenders.

We print below a list of the men from the Crossfield district who have joined the ranks of our Empire Defenders.

Should any names have been omitted and any of our readers be able to supply us with the same we should be glad to include same.

Lieut. Col. R. L. Boyle, 10th Batt.  
Killed in Action.

W. G. R. Mandell, Princess Pats,  
Killed in Action.

Charles Thomas, 9th, Hand.  
C. J. Urquhart, 12th Mounted Rifles.  
John Cheeser, "  
Jas. Watt, "  
W. H. Borton, "  
M. Lewis, "  
R. Lewis, "  
D. R. Lewis, "  
Robt. Salter, 31st Batt.  
Cyril Fuller, "  
Percy Courser, "  
M. L. Boyle, "  
Cyde Sturrock, 50th Batt.  
John Galbraith, "  
S. J. Hunter, "  
R. McDonald, "  
Piper  
W. G. Swann, 51st Batt.  
H. Fenwick, 50th Batt.  
Jack Collins, "  
Charles Collins, "  
R. Landsburgh, "  
Fred Blake, "  
W. W. H. Atkinson, Medical Corps.  
Bugler J. H. Whitfield, 5th Field Amb.  
A. Fraser, 4th Field Co. Engineers  
A. V. Dyke  
Capt. F. Thorpe  
C. Knight, 31st Batt.  
David Grant, "  
Harry Ouslow, "  
L. G. Fisher, 82nd Batt.  
Bert Wolegate, "  
Jas. Moss, "  
J. E. Clinton, 82nd Batt.  
Dan McPherson, "  
Hiram Walsh, "  
S. Dawson, 50th Batt.  
Buckley Hall, 50th Batt.  
W. A. M. Hallett, 50th Batt.  
James Eagleson, 137th Battalion.  
George Smith, "  
John Dodge, 137th Batt.  
Lewis Hughes, 137th Batt.  
G. Henson, "  
Wm. Merrick, 113th Batt.  
Jno. Morrison, 113th Batt.  
Jno. Robertson, "  
Hugh McIntyre, "  
Sam Shepard, "  
Frank Mosson, "  
Geo. Yellowlows, "  
Wlad Sawasor, "  
Lloyd J. Haxson, 15th Mounted  
A. E. Barnes, "  
Harry Singleton, "  
Jerry Marston, 14th Mounted  
Bob Milne, 157th Batt.  
Jack Elliott, "  
H. Gentles, 89th Batt.  
Wm. Milne, 11th Batt.  
Alf. Bailey, 21th "  
Fred Stevens, "  
Levi Bone, 167th Batt.  
Ivor Lewis, 187th Batt.  
H. Peacock, "  
Wm. Urquhart, "  
Douglas Lee, "  
R. E. Edwards, "  
C. Burgess, "  
Wm. Wilson, "  
B. Farber, "  
D. Cumming, "  
Jas. Cumming, "  
J. Cavander, "  
J. Robinson, "  
A. Landymore, "  
H. Vansbach, "  
Chas. Oldacre, "  
Chas. McFadyen, "  
P. Nichol, "  
H. McCool, "  
Harold Edward, "  
Besides there are some who have very recently removed from here and are well known, and have enlisted elsewhere:

Bruce Knox, 50th Batt.  
R. H. Hunter, 12th Mounted  
A. C. Widdet  
Walter Goodland, 50th Batt. Corporal.  
Bert Collins, 17th Signal Reserve.  
Jesse Pike  
F. Eylesbosch  
J. Lervold  
Frank R. Parker, Smr.  
W. B. Edward, 50th Batt.  
Don Matheson, 13th Mounted  
George Downing  
George Blanchard  
R. E. Bryant  
Neil McCrimmon

## Local U.F.A. Picnic

Local U.F.A. will hold their Annual Picnic, on Friday, July 14th, in George Patmore's field, on the top of Hall's hill, on the blind line, 1 and 3 miles east of Crossfield. Everybody come and bring your baskets, and enjoy a day of rest and sport. There will be a Baseball Game between the Married and Single men, so bring your horn and root. A Dance will be held in the evening in Hall's Barn.

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All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Post Office Building.

A. R. Thomas, Chairman.  
C. McKay, Sec.-Treas.

#### Impounded.

Notice is Hereby Given, that One Day Golding, with brown leather halter on, shod all round, two white hind feet, age about 8 or 9 years. Branded P on right thigh, and S on left thigh. Was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned at the Livery Stable in Crossfield, on Monday, June 19th 1918.

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